

**UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM D

# NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES PURSUANT TO REGULATION D. SECTION 4(6), AND/OR UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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Name of Offering ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)  Marathon Vertex Japan Partnership L.P Offering of Limited Partnership Interests	1383676
Filing Under (Check box(cs) that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505 Rule 506 Section 4(6) Type of Filing: New Filing Amendment NO, 1	ULOE
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A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA	
1. Enter the information requested about the issuer	
Name of Issuer ( check if this is an amendment and name has changed, and indicate change.)	06048442
Marathon Vertex Japan Partnership L.P.	
Address of Executive Offices (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Marathon Asset Management (Cayman) Limited, P.O. Box 61 GT, Harbour Centre, George Town, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands	Telephone Number (Including Area Code) (345) 949-4244
Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (if different from Executive Offices) Same	Telephone Number (Including Area Code)
Brief Description of Business	DDo.
Japan focused long/short equity fund	PHOCESSED
Type of Business Organization  corporation business trust limited partnership, already formed limited partnership, to be formed	case specify): FINANSON
Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation or Organization:     Month	' IIVANIO:

### Federal:

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).

When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where To File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

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Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predictated on the filing of a federal notice.

### A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA Enter the information requested for the following: Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years; Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer. Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers. Check Box(cs) that Apply: Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director = General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Marathon Asset Management (Cayman) Limited Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Harbour Centre, P.O. Box 61 GT, George Town, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands Check Box(es) that Apply: □ Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner Executive Officer General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Byrne, Martin Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o International Management Services Ltd., Harbour Centre, P.O. Box 61 GT, George Town, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) McEneff, Karl Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Daiwa Securities Trust & Banking, Block 3, Harcourt Centre, Harcourt Road, Dublin #2, Ireland Executive Officer Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner x Director General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Ostrer, Neil Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Marathon Asset Management, Orion House, 5 Upper St. Martin's Lane, London, England WC2H 9EA Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) International Management Services Ltd. Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Harbour Centre, P.O. Box 61 GT, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter ☐ Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Executive Officer Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner General and/or Director Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

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1,	1. Has the issuer sold, or does the issuer intend to sell, to non-accredited investors in this offering?  Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE.							Ш							
2.								\$ <u>100</u>	,000						
	3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?							Yes	No						
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4.	Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only. Not Applicable														
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States in Which Person Listed Has Solicited or Intends to Solicit Purchasers  (Check "All States" or check individual States)															
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(Use blank sheet, or copy and use additional copies of this sheet, as necessary.)

## C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

	already exchanged.  Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price	Amount Already Sold
	Debt	s -0-	<b>\$</b> -0-
	Equity		\$0-
	☐ Common ☐ Preferred		
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	s <u>-0-</u>	<u>\$0-</u>
	Partnership Interests	\$_1,000,000,000	\$_11,150,000
	Other (Specify)	<u>\$0-</u>	<u>\$ -0-</u>
	Total	\$_1,000,000,000	<u>\$_11,150,000</u>
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.		
<b>.</b>	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."  Accredited Investors	Number Investors	Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases § 11,150,000
	Non-accredited Investors		\$ -O-
	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)		s N/A
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE.		Ψ
3.	If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C — Question 1.		ble
	Type of Offering	Type of Security	Dollar Amount Sold
	Rule 505		\$
	Regulation A		\$
	Rule 504		\$
	Total		\$
4	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the insurer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.		
	Transfer Agent's Fees		\$
	Printing and Engraving Costs		<u>\$</u> 30,000
	Legal Fees		<u>\$ 20,000</u>
	Accounting Fees		\$
	Engineering Fees		\$
	Engineering Fees	_	\$ \$

	C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMB	ER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF F	ROCEEDS	
	b. Enter the difference between the aggregate offering and total expenses furnished in response to Part C — C proceeds to the issuer."	Question 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross		\$ 999,950,000
5.	Indicate below the amount of the adjusted gross proceach of the purposes shown. If the amount for any check the box to the left of the estimate. The total of the proceeds to the issuer set forth in response to Part 6	purpose is not known, furnish an estimate and he payments listed must equal the adjusted gross		
			Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates	Payments to Others
	Salaries and fees			\$_ <del>-0-</del>
	Purchase of real estate		<u></u> \$0-	_ 🗆 \$_ <del>-</del> 0
	Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of mach and equipment	inery		
	Construction or leasing of plant buildings and facil			
	Acquisition of other businesses (including the valu offering that may be used in exchange for the asset issuer pursuant to a merger)	s or securities of another		s0-
	Repayment of indebtedness		_	
	Working capital		_	_
	Other (specify): Investment in Securities		\$	
			s	_ [] \$
	Column Totals		\$	\$ 999,950,000
	Total Payments Listed (column totals added)		<b>■</b> \$_99	99,950,000
		D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE		
sig	e issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the unature constitutes an undertaking by the issuer to furn information furnished by the issuer to any non-accre	ish to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commis	sion, upon writte	
Issi	uer (Print or Type)	Signature, //	Date	
	arathon Vertex Japan Partnership L.P.	1 / / /	November $\mathcal{P}_1$ ,	2006
Na	ne of Signer (Print or Type)	Title of Signer (Wint or Type)		
M	artin Byrne	Director of Marathon Asset Management (Ca	ayman) Limited	, General Partner

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E. STATE SIGNATURE						
1.	Is any party described in 17 CFR 230.262 presently subject to any of the disqualification provisions of such rule?	Yes	No ■			
	See Appendix, Column 5, for state response.					

- 2. The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to any state administrator of any state in which this notice is filed a notice on Form D (17 CFR 239.500) at such times as required by state law.
- 3. The undersigned issuer hereby undertakes to furnish to the state administrators, upon written request, information furnished by the issuer to offerees.
- 4. The undersigned issuer represents that the issuer is familiar with the conditions that must be satisfied to be entitled to the Uniform limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) of the state in which this notice is filed and understands that the issuer claiming the availability of this exemption has the burden of establishing that these conditions have been satisfied.

The issuer has read this notification and knows the contents to be true and has duly caused this notice to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned duly authorized person.

Issuer (Print or Type)	Signature	Date		
Marathon Vertex Japan Partnership L.P.	Merne	November 29, 2006		
Name (Print or Type)	Title (Print or Type)			
Martin Byrne	Director of Marathon Asset Management (Cayman) Limited, General Partner			

### Instruction

Print the name and title of the signing representative under his signature for the state portion of this form. One copy of every notice on Form D must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.